## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – PRED – Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District – Allegations of irregularities in execution of certain works executed with the G.P funds of Tadigadapa (V) of Krishna District - Departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (C, C & A) Rules 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II) DEPARTMENT

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules 1991.

- 2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II & III).
- 3. Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District is directed to submit a written statement of his defence before the disciplinary authority within (10) days of the receipt of this order.
- 4. Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.
- 5. Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the time specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.
- 6. Attention of Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964 under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any

matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that he is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.RAJIV SHARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, formerly Deputy Executive Engineer, PRSD, Vijayawada, presently working in PIU Sub Division, Nandigama, Krishna District through Engineer-in-Chief (PR) Hyderabad. The Engineer-in-Chief (Panchayat Raj) Hyderabad (with a request to serve and return the acknowledged copy and W.S.D.). SF/SC

//FORWARDED BY :: ORDER//

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## **ANNEXURE-I**

STATEMENT OF ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI A. VENKATESWARA RAO, FORMERLY DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PRSD, VIJYAWADA, PRESENTLY WORKING IN PIU SUB DIVISION, NANDIGAMA, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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## **CHARGE:**

That Sri A. Venkateswara Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, while he was working in P.R. Sub Division, Vijayawada has committed irregularities in execution of works (1) Improvements to Nimra Colony road in Tadigadapa (1st reach); (2) Improvements to Nimra Colony road in Tadigadapa (2nd Reach); and (3) Improvements to internal roads in Sreenagar Katta in Tadigadapa (V) by allowing less thickness in GSB layers deviating the actual specifications.

#### **BASIS:**

The Chief Engineer, Vig. & QC, Hyderabad in his Lr.No. QC3/DEE/V&QC/IRs/Tadigadapa/2009, Dated: 30.09.2009, have reported that the following five works were taken up in Tadigadapa (V) of Penamaluru (M) under GPGF Grant.

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Sl.No.	Name of the Work	Percentage of Deficiency
1	Improvements to Nimra Colony road	40.66% in Quarry rubbish and
	in Tadigadapa (Reach 1)	GSB layers
2	Improvements to Nimra Colony road	38.58% deficiency in Quarry
	in Tadigadapa (Reach 2)	rubbish and GSB layers
3	Providing CC road near Burial ground	8.8% less thickness
	at Vasantnagar of Tadigadapa	
4	Providing CC road near Burial ground	3.33% less thickness
	at Vasanthnagar of Tadigadapa (2 <sup>nd</sup>	
	reach)	
5	Improvements to internal roads in	36.30% deficiency in quarry
	Sreenagar Katta in Tadigadapa (V)	rubbish

As seen from the above, the following (3) works were executed with the deficiencies beyond the tolerable limits.

Sl.No.	Name of the Work	Percentage of Deficiency
1	Improvements to Nimra Colony road in Tadigadapa (Reach 1)	40.66% in Quarry rubbish and GSB layers
2	Improvements to Nimra Colony road in Tadigadapa (Reach 2)	38.58% deficiency in Quarry rubbish and GSB layers
3	Improvements to internal roads in Sreenagar Katta in Tadigadapa (V)	36.30% deficiency in quarry rubbish

The Delinquent Officer has allowed the above deviations and failed to discharge his legitimate duties. Due to substandard quality, the item of earth work for the works mentioned at Sl.No. (1) & (2) above were rejected and the work mentioned at Sl.No. (3) i.e. "Improvements to internal roads in Sreenagar Katta in Tadigadapa (V)" was also rejected.

Hence the Charge.

DR.RAJIV SHARMA
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# **ANNEXURE-II**

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI A. VENKATESWARA RAO, FORMERLY DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PRSD, VIJYAWADA, PRESENTLY WORKING IN PIU SUB DIVISION, NANDIGAMA, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Vig.&QC, Hyderabad Lr.No. QC3/DEEV&QC/IRs/Tadigadapa/2009, Dt.: 30.09.2009.

DR.RAJIV SHARMA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR).

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## **ANNEXURE-III**

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLES OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI A. VENKATESWARA RAO, FORMERLY DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PRSD, VIJYAWADA, PRESENTLY WORKING IN PIU SUB DIVISION, NANDIGAMA, KRISHNA DISTRICT.

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DR.RAJIV SHARMA PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR).

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